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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/699,212 Confirmation No.: 2780
Applicant : David R. Hennings et al.
Filing Date : October 30, 2003
Title : Endovenous Closure of Varicose Veins with Mid Infrared Laser
Group Art Unit : 3739
Examiner : David M. Shay
Docket No. : 15487.4002
Customer No. : 34313

Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop RCE
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

I. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

- A. ☐ Previously submitted
1. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on _____
 2. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 3. ☐ Other _____
- B. ☒ Enclosed
1. ☒ Amendment/Reply
 2. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declarations(s)
 3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 4. ☐ Other _____

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, that I have reasonable basis to expect that that this paper or fee (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) would be mailed or transmitted on or before the date indicated with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on the date shown below in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Dated: June 23, 2005

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II. Miscellaneous

- A. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR § 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(i) required.)
- B. ☐ Other _____

III. Fees

- A. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 15-0665. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required by the filing of these papers to Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP's Deposit Account No. 15-0665.

1. ☒ RCE fees (37 CFR §1.17(e):

RCE Fee						\$790.00
	Claims filed or remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for				
Total Claims	32	25	= 7	x	\$50.00	\$350.00
Independent Claims	3	-	3	= 3	x \$200.00	00.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS						\$1140.00
X Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.						\$570.00
TOTAL						\$570.00

2. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$60.00	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$225.00	\$450.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$510.00	\$1,020.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$795.00	\$1,590.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,080.00	\$2,160.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS		

3. ☐ Other _____

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B. ☐ Check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed

Respectfully submitted,

ORRICK, HERRINGTON & SUTCLIFFE LLP

Dated: June 23, 2005

By: _____

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